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As the Executive Director of the Naval Center for Cost Analysis (NCCA), Ms. Kunc advises Department of the Navy (DON) leadership on cost issues, develops defensible independent cost estimates and assessments for major acquisition programs, provides cost analysis tools, and performs special studies. Ms. Kunc chairs the DON Cost Review Board and the Cost Estimating Stakeholders Group that facilitates collaboration and sharing of information and best practices across the DON and the Department of Defense (DoD) cost communities.

Ms. Kunc entered the Senior Executive Service in March 2005 and has 25 years of Federal Service.

Ms. Kunc was selected as NCCA's Cost Analysis Tools Division Director in 2001. In this capacity, she served as program manager for the Naval Visibility and Management of Operating and Support Costs (VAMOSC) management information system. She also managed the Operating and Support Cost Analysis Model (OSCAM) suite as well as other automated cost analysis tools, the NCCA website, and online document library.

Prior to this position, Ms. Kunc spent 15 years with the Department of the Air Force. In 2000, she was selected to lead the Cost Factors Branch within the Forces Analysis Division of the Air Force Cost Analysis Agency and was responsible for developing the multi-billion dollar Cost Per Flying Hour program. In 1993, Ms. Kunc served as program manager of Air Force VAMOSC for the Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Air Force (Cost and Economics) and led the expansion of VAMOSC into the more comprehensive Air Force Total Ownership Cost (AFTOC) management information system. Ms. Kunc also served as an operations research analyst at what is now the Air Force Intelligence Surveillance and Reconnaissance Agency in San Antonio. Various positions included Chief of Software Support where she developed Air Force Cryptologic Support Center software applications. Ms. Kunc began her government career as a cartographer with the Defense Mapping Agency.

Ms. Kunc holds a bachelor's degree in Mathematics from the University of Missouri and a Master of Science degree in Computer Information Systems from St. Mary's University, San Antonio, Texas. She received a Master of Science degree in National Resource Strategy from the National Defense University and completed the Industrial College of the Armed Forces Senior Acquisition Course. She completed the National Defense University's CIO certification program in 2005.

Ms. Kunc received the Department of the Navy Superior Civilian Service award in 2009 and the Air Force Headquarters civilian award for Outstanding Contribution to Financial Management and Comptroller in 1998. She received the OSD Comptroller team award for Innovative use of Technology in Financial Management in 1999 and 2002.

Ms. Kunc is a Certified Defense Financial Manager, is Level III certified in the Defense Acquisition Workforce, and is a member of the Acquisition Corps. Ms. Kunc is a member of the American Society of Military Comptrollers and the Society of Cost Estimating and Analysis.